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TAGS: EFIN, RP
SUBJECT: TAXATION TREATY
REF: 1467 - MANILA
1. EMBASSY MAY ADVISE GOP THAT TREASURY NEGOTIATING TEAM
WILL BE OUT OF COUNTRY DURING MUCH OF MARCH AND WILL NOT
BE AVAILABLE FOR MEETING WITH GOP UNTIL MARCH 25 OR 26 AT
EARLIEST. IF GOP AGREEABLE TEAM COULD MEET IN WASHINGTON
IN APRIL OR IN WASHINGTON OR MANILA IN MAY.
2. ALTHOUGH TAX TREATY WOULD BE IN INTEREST OF BOTH SIDES,
WE NOTE THAT GOP HAS TWICE TAKEN THE INITIATIVE TO PRESS
FOR RESUMPTION OF NEGOTIATIONS, AND THIS TIME IN APPARENT DEPARTURE FROM SCHEDULE TENTATIVELY OUTLINED BY VIRATA LAST
FALL. REQUEST EMBASSY VIEWS ON PARTICULAR INTERESTS GOP
SEEKS TO PURSUE IN THIS NEGOTIATION.
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